FISCAL NOTE

TO: Chief Clerk of the Senate

Chief Clerk of the House

FROM: James A. Davenport, Executive Director

DATE: January 29, 1996

SUBJECT: **SB 2279 - HB 2610**

This bill, if enacted, requires the Health Facilities Commission to grant a Certificate of Need for a home health agency doing business with a non-profit rural health services consortium in the counties designated in the bill. The agency would not have to prove need, economic feasibility or contribution to the orderly development of health care as is now required in the CON process.

The fiscal impact from enactment of this bill is estimated to be a one-time decrease in state revenues of \$3,000 because of the loss of one CON application filing fee. There would also be an increase in state revenues of \$400 to the Department of Health for the licensing fee of the home health agency.

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

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James A. Davenport, Executive Director